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**In re the Application of:**

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**For:** A METHOD OF IDENTIFYING  
OBJECT AND A TAG CARRYING  
IDENTIFICATION INFORMATION

**Group Art Unit:** Not yet assigned

**Examiner:** Not yet assigned

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 2 of this paper and include both the attached replacement sheets and annotated sheets showing changes.

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**Amendments to the Drawings:**

The annotated sheets of drawings includes changes to Figs. 1A, 1B, 2, 4, and 7E. The replacement sheets include Figs. 1-9, which replaces the original sheets including Figs. 1-9. In Figs. 1A, 1B, 2, 4, and 7E, the numbering of the elements were inadvertently misprinted in the original submission when the application was filed on July 22, 2003.

Attachment: Replacement sheets (Figs. 1A – 9)  
Annotated Sheets Showing Changes (Figs. 1A, 1B, 2, 4, and 7E only)